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## A BULLDOZED BARON.

### Compelled to Sign Checks at the Pistol's Point.

NEW YORK, May 15.—The *Herald's* Paris cable of the 14th says: Baron Souberant, a well-known financier, was yesterday the hero of a dramatic adventure. As he was coming down the staircase of the Banque des Comptes building, an ex-employé of the Fonciere Insurance Company, named Pillot, who had fled from justice after committing a forgery, stopped him and appealed for charity. Touched by the man's miserable appearance, Baron Souberant, who is a director of the Fonciere, told him to come up stairs, and took him into the bank bondroom, where he sat down and waited to hear his story.

The doors and walls of the room are exceptionally thick, of which Pillot seemed well aware, for hardly had they entered when Pillot drew a revolver and pointed it at the Baron, exclaiming: "Three fifty thousand franc drafts on Geneva to my order at once, or I'll blow your brains out!" He looked so determined that the financier, after vain attempts to disarm his assailant, saw no help for it and complied.

Having examined the drafts and seen that they were all in order, Pillot put them in his pocket and backed towards the door, keeping his weapon pointed full on the baron. Before the clerks could come to the rescue, he bolted down stairs and escaped. Information was immediately given to the police and detectives and telegrams were sent out in all directions. Pillot took the express for Geneva and on his arrival at the station there, was at once arrested by the Swiss police. He now lies in jail, pending the fulfillment of the extradition formalities.

### A Cowardly Insinuation.

"Does your cow cringe and curl," asks The New England Farmer, "and appear nervous and fidgety when you sit down to milk her?" Well, not much, she doesn't. She isn't that kind of a cow. She isn't one of your sly, timid, bashful cows. She just fixes her eyes on vacancy with a glare that will raise a blister on an oak knot, sticks her tail straight up in the air, stiff as a poker, plants three feet firmly on the ground and then feels around with the other for the milk pail, milk stool, milk maid; finds them; fires them up somewhere in the blue empyrean, and remarking "Ha, ha," amid the shouting, jumps over a six rail fence and tramples down an acre of young garden. Don't talk about cringing and curling to a cow that has to be milked with a pipe line and a pumping station.


### Happiness and Health

Are important problems, the former depending greatly on the latter. Everyone is familiar with the healthy properties of fruit, and no one can afford to be sick and miserable while the pleasant concentrated liquid fruit remedy Syrup of Figs may be had of our enterprising druggists, Messrs. Langley & Co. 12dw

NOTWITHSTANDING much has been said about the importance of a blood-purifying medicine, it may be possible that the matter has never seriously claimed your attention. Think of it now! If, by the use of a few bottles of Ayer's Sarsaparilla you avoid the evils of scrofula, and transmit a healthy constitution to your offspring, thank us for the suggestion. dw

### Customs and Legal Blanks

Of every description for sale at *The Colonist* office.


## YESTERDAY'S DISPATCHES.

**Sturdy Talk by the Toronto Globe.**

**Excitement Along the U. S. Border.**

**J. G. Blaine Says the U. S. Are Right.**

**The Fisheries Dispute.**

EASTERN STATES.

BAR HARBOR, Me., May 22.—A special to the Herald says James G. Blaine, last evening, said the fisheries question resolves itself into a matter of fact. The fisherman of the United States government have the privilege of fishing on any portion of the coast and adjacent islands. The government of the United States should demand a return to the terms of the treaty of 1783, when peace and separation between the mother country and the successful rebellious colonies were arranged and legitimatized, gave the United States the same right and privileges as regards the fisheries as residents of the colonies enjoyed prior to the revolutionary war. He added, there need be no war talk. If our government asserts itself properly we are too vast and grand a nation to resort to threats. The vigorous expression of the just views of the government will receive due attention from any foreign power, especially from England. Blaine declined to express his opinions regarding the present conduct of the secretary of state and his alleged subserviency to influence the British minister. Also refused to indicate an opinion as to the probable bearing of the fisheries dispute and its effect on either side of the two great parties. You may rest assured, he said, that the United States have right on their side of the whole fisheries controversy and it is the duty of the government to maintain their rights.

PORTLAND, Maine, May 22.—The excitement in regard to the fishery trouble is unabated. The board of trade and city government meetings have not yet been called, but if they are much longer delayed there will be a mass meeting at the city hall. To the fishermen a settlement of the questions in dispute is a matter of bread and butter. Not a man has expressed a desire to see a commission appointed to have the treaty renewed. There is bitter talk in regard to the Canadian schooner Alert, now loaded with bait. It is believed that other schooners of the same character, and on the same errand may not be very warmly received here.

CANADA.

TORONTO, May 22.—Referring to the report that the American fishery schooner Augusta Hessick, had sailed from Boston for the fishing grounds, armed with cannon, and determined to resist should any Canadian vessel attempt to seize her, the Globe says this may prove a very serious matter if the United States government neglected its duty when it allowed this vessel to arm in one of its ports and to proceed when armed to waters on which no vessel honorably pursuing legitimate business required such armament. If permission was obtained from the government its responsibility is all the greater. Should this vessel attempt a forcible resistance when the British or Canadian cruiser, duly commissioned, attempts to seize it in Canadian waters, on the charge of having acted illegally, it may be treated as a privateer. To allow this vessel to go armed to trespass on a neighbor's treasury is unworthy of a great country, especially so of her people. Canada will not be deterred by any danger of possible collision and its possible consequences from asserting its rights, and in forcing these rights.

OTTAWA, May 22.—The government has received an official report from Capt. Scott, of the Lansdowne, of the seizure of the Adams. It confirms in every respect the previous advices received by telegraph. The facts appear to be that the seized vessel, even if it be proved that she was buying bait, cannot, under existing laws, be held answerable for such contravention of international law. The law providing for the seizure of foreign vessels, for certain offenses, is so worded that buying bait is not an offense under it.

Hon. Peter Mitchell, ex-minister of marine and fisheries, who prepared the legislation under which the seizure was presumably made, purposely omitted the buying of bait from the list of offences, believing that bait should be regarded as an article of commerce, and the buying of bait is a commercial transaction.

The seizure of the Adams seems to have caused the government to recognize the weak point of law under which it was made, by introducing a bill amending that law which has been worried through the commons, having passed its third reading yesterday. It will probably pass the senate and become law within a week.

BADDECK, Cape Breton, May 22.—On his return Consul General Phelan said that the law under which permits are granted dates prior to 1830; but that in 1830 President Jackson issued a proclamation granting commercial rights to English vessels, and a similar proclamation was issued by ministers in power at that time in Great Britain. This British proclamation was in the same spirit as that issued by President Jackson. It is claimed that the joint action of the two governments secured to all vessels sailing under the United States flag the same rights as those enjoyed by English vessels in all ports of the colonies, subject, of course, to customs laws. It is understood that will be the argument used by Consul Phelan throughout the progress of the cases of seizure. It is thought he will be able to prove the right of American vessels to procure bait in British waters. It is not yet decided whether the seized vessels will be brought to Baddeck.

ENGLAND.

LONDON, May 22.—A unionist meeting was held at Holborn last evening at which Warring, Holmes and other members of the commons were present. The platform was stormed by a mob, and the meeting broke up in great disorder.

Mr. Cain, member of parliament, writes that if both Irish bills be withdrawn and be remodelled by Mr. Gladstone in the autumn there will be a chance of liberal unity and of carrying the bill.

Michael Davitt, speaking at Swansea last evening, said that Lord Randolph Churchill had uttered in parliament language as treasonable as that for which he, Davitt, had been imprisoned. There was no reason to fear persecution by Catholics. All insurrectionary movements that had ever occurred in Ireland had been started by Protestants.

EUROPE.

THE EASTERN CRISIS.

LONDON, May 22.—The Greeks claim that during the frontier engagements yesterday they captured two positions from the Turks, 20,000 cartridges and three prisoners. The commander of the Turkish troops explains the firing by his men was due to a mistake. He has given assurances that the Turkish intentions were peaceable.

A MISUNDERSTANDING.

The general in command of the Turkish forces on the frontier of Greece, engaged in the skirmish of yesterday, inquired of the Greek commander why his troops were fighting. The latter replied because the Turks had first attacked them. Assurances were exchanged by the commanders that fighting would not be resumed. They will also exchange protocols showing that the firing was a mutual misunderstanding.

The departure of the Greek troops to the front is to be suspended. It is expected that a decree ordering the demobilization of the Greek army will be issued by the government to-night.

BERLIN, May 22.—A rumor is current here that all the German army officers traveling in France have been recalled and that staff and other officers have been refused their usual summer furloughs. The recall of officers from France was probably due to the French espionage law.

### DELAYED DISPATCHES.

WASHINGTON TERRITORY.

PORT TOWNSEND, May 20—Word comes from Dungeness by telegraph that about 3 p. m. to-day a strange man went to the house of the Jackson family living near Sequim, and tried to get into the house. Miss Jackson, who was alone inside, refused to admit him. He then told her that if she did not let him in he would shoot her, and immediately fired, hitting her in the head. She screamed and ran away. The neighbors are all out after him. all the description she can give is that he is of dark complexion.

EASTERN STATES.

CHICAGO, May 20—The sheriff of Tallahasse, Florida, telegraphed last Tuesday that Parsons and a companion had gone through Tallahassee and were bound either for Cedar Keys or Tampa. They are supposed to be heading for Cuba.

SELECT Sermons by Sam Jones, and Talmage on Marriage, at T. N. HIBBEN & Co.'s. †


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IS PREPARED FOR ANY ENGAGEMENTS IN all branches. Renovating Greenhouses and Conservatories a specialty. Cut Flowers all the year round, and Greenhouse and Outdoor Plants.

☞ Corner Vancouver street and Fairfield road.
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### In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF WILLIAM TURGOOSE, DECEASED.

SADLER and TURGOOSE against SANDOVER.

THE CREDITORS OF THE SAID WILLIAM Turgoose, who died at Saanich on the 22nd day of January, 1885, are, pursuant to an order of this Court, on or before the 21st day of June, 1886, to send in to James Charles Prevost, the Registrar of the Supreme Court, their Christian and surnames, addresses and description, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts and the nature of the sureties, if any, held by them.

Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Registrar of this Honorable Court on the 21st day of June, 1886, at the hour of 11 in the forenoon, at his office, James Bay, Victoria, being the time appointed for adjudication on the claims.

CHARLES WILSON,
Solicitor for the Plaintiff.
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### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HIGHWAY.

THE UNDERSIGNED HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that they intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to establish a Public Highway forty feet in width, which is described as follows:—Commencing at the intersection of St. Charles street and Government House road; thence southerly forty-four chains to an intersection with the northern boundary of the Fairfield road, at a distance of six chains east from the eastern boundary of the Public Cemetery.

(Signed) ALEX. McLEAN,
E. G. PRIOR,
L. B. HAMLIN.

Victoria, May 11, 1886. my12 1m


NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

## The Rising Generation

sun should find you resolved to give Ayer's Sarsaparilla a thorough trial. It will cleanse and invigorate your blood, and restore the vital organs to their natural functions. Mrs. J. D. Upham, 231 Shawmut avenue, Boston, Mass., writes: "For a number of years I was troubled with Indigestion, and unable, without distress, to take solid food. After using Ayer's Sarsaparilla one month I was

**Entirely Cured."**

Mrs. H. M. Thayer, Milton, Mass., writes: "I have been very much troubled with torpidity of the liver, and Dyspepsia. Ayer's Sarsaparilla has cured me." Mrs. J. W. Bradlee, Hyde Park, Mass., writes: "I was greatly reduced by Dyspepsia, and was advised to take Ayer's Sarsaparilla, which entirely cured me." Mrs. M. F. Hamblett, 25 Lawrence street, Lowell, Mass., writes: "I was sick two years with stomach and liver troubles, and obtained no relief until I took

**Ayer's Sarsaparilla**

follows generation, transmitting a legacy of good or ill, according to well-known physical laws. To the unfortunate sufferer from hereditary Scrofula, nothing can be more cheering than the assurance that in Ayer's Compound Extract of Sarsaparilla is found a constitutional remedy, which eliminates the poisonous taint, and restores to the blood the elements necessary to

**Life and Health.**

Alarie Mercier, 3 Harrison avenue, Lowell, Mass., writes: "My son was weak and debilitated, troubled with sore eyes and Scrofulous humors. Ayer's Sarsaparilla restored him to perfect health." Irving H. Edwards, Ithaca, N. Y., writes: "From the time I was four years old, until eighteen, I was subject to Scrofulous sore throat. Many a time my neck has been a raw sore, from poultices put on to draw out the inflammation. I took four bottles of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Since that time I have enjoyed excellent health."

and have never had the disease since, in sixteen years."

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass., U. S. A.

**For sale by all Druggists. Price $1; six bottles for $5.**

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## FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

CARRYING H. M. MAILS AND W. F. & CO.'S EXPRESS AND NORTHERN PACIFIC EXPRESS.

THE PACIFIC COAST STEAMSHIP Co.'s steamer

QUEEN OF THE PACIFIC,
CAPTAIN ALEXANDER,

Will sail from the VICTORIA WHARF, outer harbor, for San Francisco, on

SATURDAY, MAY 22ND, AT 1 P. M.

Intending shippers are requested to make arrangements for freight as early as possible so that room may be reserved for their shipments.

Freight for shipment by her is requested to be at the wharf of the undersigned by 6 o'clock P. M. on Friday, May 21.

For Freight and Passage apply to
my18 WELCH, RITHET & CO., Agents.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

Am Barque SPARTAN, Capt Cairns, fm Hongkong

THIS VESSEL WILL DISCHARGE CARGO at R C. Janion's wharf TO-DAY (Friday) and following days.

Consignees are requested to present bill of lading at the office of the undersigned, pay freight and receive delivery orders for their goods.

All goods remaining on the wharf after 4 o'clock p. m. of each day will be stored at the risk and expence of the consignees thereof.

TAI SOONG & CO.
Victoria B. C, 14th May, 1886. my14

## FOR ALASKA.

THE PACIFIC COAST STEAMSHIP Co.'s steamship

"ANCON"

Will sail from Victoria for Alaska

ON MONDAY, 17TH INSTANT.

WELCH, RITHET & CO., Agents.
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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE BRITISH BARQUE "TITANIA," Captain Dunn, will commence discharging freight at the Company's wharf, Victoria Harbor, MONDAY MORNING, 3rd inst.

Consignees are requested to call at the Cashier's office of the company, pay freight, and receive orders for their goods. All goods left on the company's wharf at Victoria after four o'clock p. m. of each day will be stored at the risk and expense of the owners.

For the Hudson Bay Co.
ALEX. MUNRO.
Victoria, B.C., May 1st, 1886. my2

NOT RESPONSIBLE.

BR. SHIP TITANIA, FROM LONDON.

NEITHER CAPTAIN DUNN NOR THE UNdersigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.

For the Hudson Bay Co.
ALEX. MUNRO.
Victoria, B.C., 1st May, 1886. my2

## NOTICE TO SHIPPERS.

ALL FREIGHT FOR AND CONSIGNED TO the undersigned for HOPE, from this date, April 16th, must be shipped by the TEASER

JAMES WARDLE.
J. W WIRTH,
JAMES CORRIGAN.
ap18-1m

## LORNE COLLEGE,

New Westminster.

THIS SCHOOL WILL REOPEN AFTER THE Midsummer Holidays

IN THE FIRST WEEK OF SEPTEMBER,

UNDER THE DIRECTION OF

H. FIENNES-CLINTON, ESQ.,

OF KEBLE COLLEGE, OXFORD, AND BISHOP'S COLLEGE SCHOOL, LENNOXVILLE, PROVINCE OF QUEBEC.

Applications to be made to the

my16 BISHOP OF NEW WESTMINSTER.

## REGISTRATION

FOR ELECTION OF

## SCHOOL TRUSTEES.

THE REGISTERS FOR THE REGISTRATION of Voters in Victoria City School District will be closed after the 31st day of May.

SECTION 25, PUBLIC SCHOOL ACT, 1885.

"Any householder or freeholder resident in any ward of any City School District for a period of six months previous to the application to register, and the wife of any such householder or freeholder, shall be entitled to be registered as a voter for the election of Trustees in the ward in which he or she resides. Provided Chinese and Indians shall not be registered."

In the event of the absence of the undersigned, applications will be received by T. Elwyn, Esq., Deputy Provincial Secretary.

S. D. POPE,
ap25 5w Supt. of Education.

FURNITURE.

## JOHN WEILER,

FORT STREET,

HAS JUST RECEIVED DIRECT FROM THE best factories in the East. everal carloads of

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Which for Workmanship and Design are unsurpassed in this province consisting of

BEDROOM SUITES,

EXTENSION AND PARLOR TABLES,

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Also, several large invoices of CHAIRS of all kinds from a Kitchen to a first-class Parlor and Office Chair.

Also, REED CHAIRS and ROCKERS.

Further, a complete line of the Latest Styles of

WALLPAPER,

WITH ARTISTIC DECORATIONS.

Always on hand, the most extensive choice of

CROCKERY & GLASSWARE

Platedware, Cutlery, Lamps and Chandeliers.

Further, CARPETS of all kinds, Cocoa and Hemp and Chinese Matting, Calcloth and Linoleum.

Intending purchasers are cordially invited to visit my establishment, examine goods and compare prices before buying elsewhere and I am sure they will not regret it, as they will save money if they favor me with their custom.

☞ A Liberal Discount on IMMEDIATE CASH PAYMENTS

ap18 JOHN WEILER.

## FURNITURE

CHEAPER THAN EVER!

## J. SEHL,

HAVING FITTED UP HIS NEW FACTORY with the latest improved Machinery, and employing only first-class white mechanics who spend their earnings amongst you instead of sending the money out of the country for imported goods, with his increased facilities is now enabled to offer Furniture from the plainest to the most luxurious description at such EXTREMELY LOW PRICES as will make it to your advantage to encourage home industry.

BEDROOM SUITES FROM $18 UP,
EXTENSION DINING TABLES FROM $7.50 UP.

Spring and Hair Mattresses, and the celebrated Woven Wire Mattresses at half the price of imported ones.

ALSO ON HAND—A large stock of Carpets, Oilcloth, Linoleum, Matting, Door Mats, Children's Carriages, Bird Cages, Window Shades and Cornices, Pictures, Mouldings and Frames, &c., of the latest patterns, wholesale and retail.

FACTORY—On Laurel Point.
SALESROOM—311 Government St.
ja24 J. SEHL.


## AN APPEAL

ON BEHALF OF THE

## ROYAL HOSPITAL, VICTORIA

THE DIRECTORS OF THE ROYAL HOSPITAL and Convalescent Home desire to press the urgent claims of the above for increased funds to enable them to carry on the work of relieving the sufferings of distressed humanity.

Having no reserve funds to fall back on, the present list of subscriptions numbering only 134 is totally inadequate to keep up the working of the institution, and the Directors therefore confidently appeal to the hearts and sympathies of the public for a substantial addition to the funds, the increasing prosperity and population of the province encouraging them to think their appeal will be liberally met.

Every bed in the Hospital is now occupied and numerous applications for admission have to be frequently declined by the Directors, and the question of erecting a larger and more complete establishment will have to be dealt with in the near future.

The expenditure is kept at the lowest possible sum consistent with the actual necessities of the inmates and the efficiency of the working staff.

Applications, almost daily, are received from districts outside the city, and it is hoped residents in these localities will also aid the Directors in their work.

Donations of old linen, clothing, books, periodicals and newspapers will be thankfully accepted at the Hospital and subscriptions received by the Honorary Treasurer.

ROBERT WARD, Hon. Treasurer.
WILLIAM M. CHUDLEY, Hon. Sec.
Victoria, B.C., 30th April, 1886. my1 2w


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☞ Special attention given to treating and preserving teeth of poor structure. my5 1m

## The White House

Government St., Victoria.

NEW SPRING

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—AND—

DRESS GOODS

Just received and will be on View

On Monday, the 12th instant

LADIES' OTTOMAN, CASHMERE, and CANVAS CLOTH DOLMANS,

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In Beaded Grenadine, Ottoman, Braid and Chenille.

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Agents for Victoria.

## GENERAL AGENCY.

MR. H. P. BLANCHARD HAVING LEFT THE city, the undersigned has purchased his business and will be pleased to transact any business for Mr. Blanchard's former patrons at the old stand, Bastion street. Copying done, Accounts kept, Collections made, etc.

ap13 ROWLAND E. GREEN.


NOTICES.

### NOTICE.

TAKE NOTICE THAT RICHARD WILLIAMS JANION and Robert Campbell Rickarby, trading under the firm name of R. C Janion, at Victoria, merchants, have this day made an assignment for the benefit of their creditors, to Richard Hall and William John Goepel, merchants.

Dated 22nd April, 1886

S. PERRY MILLS,
ap23 1m Solicitor for Hall & Goepel.

### NOTICE

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the Estate of the late DR. JOHN ASH, and all persons indebted to the said Estate, are requested to send their claims and pay their indebtedness to W. E. DeVEULLE, at his late residence.

W. C. WARD,
W. E. DeVEULLE,
Executors of John Ash, deceased.
Victoria, B. C., 7th May, 1886. my8 1m

### NOTICE.

PARTIES REQUIRING LICENSE OR OTHER information in connection with the Fisheries of British Columbia will apply to

THOS. MOWAT,
Acting Inspector of Fisheries.

New Westminster, B. C., May 10th, 1886. my11 1m

### NOTICE.

ALL THAT PIECE OF LAND ON THE VICtoria Arm from the Gorge Hill to the point commonly known as Curtis Point, inclusive, is private property; but parties desiring to picnic thereon may do so upon first obtaining a written permission therefor from the undersigned.

J. STUART YATES,
my15 6t Agent for James Yates.

### NOTICE

IN THE PROPERTY OF RAPHAEL CARANZO PACKER, NICOLA VALLEY, B. C., DECEASED.

ALL PARTIES INDEBTED TO THE ABOVE estate are hereby requested to pay the amount of their indebtedness to the undersigned within one month from date; and all parties having any claims against the estate are requested to furnish particulars thereof within one month from date.

CASSOUTH GARCIA,
JOSEPH COSTILLON,
Executors of the above Estate.
Nicola Valley, B.C., 15th May, 1886. my16dw1m

### NOTICE.

ESTATE OF JOHN WHITFIELD.

A SECOND DIVIDEND OF TEN PER CENT. will be paid at my office on application.

ALEX. COWAN,
ap22 Assignee.

### NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING SOLD HIS INterest in the Occidental Hotel, gives notice that all debts due him must be paid on or before the 15th May. All accounts due by him will be paid upon presentation.

LUKE PITHER.
Victoria, B.C., April 30, 1886. my1

### NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, carrying on business at Victoria under the firm name of "Baker & Fullerton," was this day dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. John Fullerton continues the business, assuming all liabilities and collecting all outstanding accounts.

Dated this 10th day of April, 1886.

JOSEPH H. BAKER,
JOHN FULLERTON.
Witness: THORNTON FELL ap20

### NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE THIS DAY PURchased the

ENTIRE STOCK OF WING CHONG LUNG,

ON CORMORANT STREET,

And will carry on business in the late firm's store.

All debts of the firm of Wing Chong Lung will be paid by them.

HIP LUNG CO.
Victoria, April 8, 1886. ap16-2w

### NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE UNdersigned will not be responsible for any debt incurred by any person assuming to act for him, unless specially authorized (by writing signed by him) to incur the same.

A. ONDERDONK,
June 4th, 1885. Yale, B.C
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# Daily Colonist

SUNDAY MORNING, MAY 23RD, 1886.



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WILL BE PAID FOR THE ARREST AND conviction of any person who may steal *The Colonist* from the door of a subscriber.


## *THE CLAIMS OF GREECE.*

Nearly three weeks ago, nominally in response to the friendly mediation of France, the Hellenic government consented to demobilize its army which had been placed on a war footing of proportions simply disastrous to that already financially embarrassed country. Now the cable brings word that after that period of vacillation and evasion the order for the said demobilization has been cancelled, and troops once again ordered to the front whose vexed boundary is sore from contention. While the claims of Greece, except, perhaps, in one solitary instance, are doubtful, her attitude towards the powers, while having a spice of the ridiculous, has been offensive and ill advised. The only claim that Greece can legitimately advance for settlement is the promise that has not yet been redeemed, made in the treaty of Berlin in 1878, and which agreed that in the event of the Sublime Porte and Greece being unable to agree upon the rectification of frontier suggested in the 13th protocol of the congress of Berlin, Germany, Austria-Hungary, France, Great Britain, Italy, and Russia, reserve to themselves to offer their mediation to the two parties to facilitate negotiations. It is scarcely to be supposed that since that frontier was defined by the convention of 1881 anything has occurred to render Greece's claim for the complete carrying out of the article more urgent. She may require naturally and justly to regain the unredeemed fragments of her empire — Crete, Epirus, Macedonia, and the Archipelago; but the possession of the severed portions of her territory has to be settled between herself and Turkey, and the action taken by Greece to this end cannot but be regarded as calculated to alienate from her the sympathies of the allied powers. It is true that France and Russia have chosen to act apart from the rest of the nations, but it does not follow from this that they possess a greater degree of interest in the welfare of that now comparatively insignificant nation whose greatness lives only in the memory of bygone ages. The apparent friendship of France more probably arises from a desire to pose before Greece as her especial champion, and perhaps from an unexpressed but nevertheless well-defined reluctance to play second fiddle to England in the construction of a collective note and ultimatum. As for Russia—well, it is not to be supposed that that wily power, whose agents have so persistently fomented trouble among the small independencies that surround Turkey, would wish to aid in solving a difficulty that forces the "Sick Man" at such heavy and ruinous expense to be constantly prepared for an attack from the menacing Greek. The financial condition of the Ottoman empire, which for so long has been tottering to its fall, is worse even than that of Greece, and is daily becoming more aggravated. Notonly is her treasury depleted, but her credit, never very good, is at such a low ebb as to threaten the continuance of her autonomy. The disintegration of the Turkish empire would be gladly welcomed by Russia; but the jealousy of the other European powers causes them to tolerate the effete government, whose identity at this moment is entirely due to the interests of other countries. It has been said that Greece would have disarmed long ago had she been sure the powers were unanimous on the point; and there is not the slightest reason to doubt the statement. She must have had the knowledge that secret sympathy for her, or rather, perhaps secret obstruction to the mediation to which she was opposed would be exerted; for otherwise the stand that she took would have been incomprehensible and little short of madness. The cession to Greece of all that she claims could never be obtained by the force of her arms directed against Turkey. In such an event most certain, sharp and complete defeat would be hers. The obtainment for her of the now alienated portions of her empire will never be effected by the allied powers; for such a cession of territory to Greece would so lessen the area of Turkey in Europe as to leave only Constantinople and a small strip of surrounding country as the entire European possessions of the sultan. However little she might have got by arbitration Greece will procure less by such senseless defiance of the powers whose ultimatum she was compelled to regard (though pretending her pacific action was due entirely to the friendly representations of France) when the allied fleet appeared in the Piræus. The observance of that ultimatum now appears to have been ostensible only, and the nearly bankrupt little country once more exhibits an insatiable desire for war. It is not to be expected the sufferance hitherto extended to her by the powers will be much longer continued.

## *THE POSITION OF GAOLER.*

The Times has not repeated its insolence towards the mayor whose conduct has been straightforward and aboveboard. Its allusion to the chairman of the police committee is in keeping with its unsavory reputation for untruthfulness and indecency; and is unworthy of notice. The Times is quite certain that the points we have raised of the illegality of the appointment of Mr. Henley are untenable. Perhaps so. But our contemporary is notorious for distorting facts to suit itself, and if the law stands in its way so much the worse for the law. Not many days ago the Times discovered that two of the Victoria school trustees were ineligible because they had removed beyond the city limits. The stupid creature did not know, until informed by this journal, that school limits and city limits are not identical. He is making the same blunder now in contending that the appointment of Neil Henley is legal when law and facts all point to its illegality. But apart entirely from the legal aspect of the case there rises another spectre that will not "down" even at the bidding of the Times. It is this: Old and valued citizens—men who have been from twenty to twenty-five years in the province and have borne their share of taxation and other responsibilities—have been brushed aside to make room for a stranger who has been but three or four weeks in the country. We earnestly hope that at its next meeting the council (even if it should be shown that its action was perfectly legal) will retrace its false step and follow the well trodden path of giving the preference —all things being equal—to a resident of the province. It is surely not necessary to import city officials when there is good home-made material ready to our hands.


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## CABLE NEWS.

### ENGLAND.

LONDON, May 22.—At the liberal union meeting to-day, Lord Hartington was the principal speaker. He declared the present Irish policy of the government must be vigorously opposed by both parliament and country, which was now threatened with separation. The liberal union, he said should protect its organization to the highest possible degree, in view of the approaching struggle, in order to maintain legislative union between England and Ireland.

The Duke of Argyle moved the election of an executive committee, limited to twenty five members, and in speaking in the support of his motion, made a most vigorous attack on Mr. Gladstone's Irish policy.

The motion was adopted and the meeting then tendered a vote of thanks to Lord Hartington for his attendance and address.

Members of the government state that election writs are being prepared in anticipation of a dissolution of parliament, after a vote shall have been taken on the home rule bill.

### GREECE.

ATHENS, May 22.—Dispatches just received report serious trouble on the frontier. The prime minister Tricoupis is at the telegraph office exchanging communications with the Greek generals at the frontier.

### FRANCE.

PARIS, May 22.—Don Carlos has published a manifesto repudiating the infant son of Queen Christina as the rightful successor to the throne of Spain. He declares he will never renounce his own rights to the throne.

### SPAIN.

MADRID, May 22.—The minister of commerce will introduce a bill in the cortes providing for the sale of a portion of the crown lands and forests. The government expects to realize from the sale $50,000,000, which will be used to defray the expenses in connection with the army and navy.

The infant son of the queen regent was christened to day.

## AMERICAN NEWS.

### ARIZONA.

TUCSON, May 22.—A Mexican vacquero arrived here this morning from Juan Teller Mountain Spring ranch, eighteen miles southeast of Tucson with news that the Apaches attacked a ranch early this morning, carrying off two Mexican boys aged 10 and 12 years. The father and mother saved their lives by escaping into a neighboring gulch. In the absence of available troops at Fort Lowell, Lieut. Erwin has dispatched couriers to warn the settlers in exposed localities, and several have also been sent out of this city. A large party of volunteers composed of American and Mexican citizens have gone out to take the hostiles' trail.

### EASTERN STATES.

TAUNTON, May 22.—As the advance advertising car of a circus was leaving Attleboro for Taunton this evening the coupling parted and the car crashed through the passenger coach, injuring thirteen occupants, one man very seriously.

### NEW MEXICO.

ALBUQUERQUE, May 22.—News has just been received from the railroad accident on the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe roads states that no one was killed. The passenger car ran into the rear of the freight, smashing the caboose into splinters and setting fire to it. The freight train was heavily loaded with cattle, and five cattle men were injured, two of them probably dangerously. The passengor engine was completely wrecked.

## CANADIAN NEWS.

ST. PAUL, May 22.—A Winnipeg special says that Chief Justice Walbridge, appointed royal commission by the local government to investigate the charge of malfeasance in office preferred against Premier Norquay, has reported to the lieutenant-governor. While the report has not been presented to the house it is understood it makes the premier out to be a grossly maligned man.

### The Opera Season.

TO THE EDITOR:—In common with the majority of those who filled the Victoria theatre on Thursday evening wish I to express the great disappointment experienced at the unsatisfactory orchestral arrangements of the managers of the company. One solitary musician, although a perfect master of the art, is hardly capable of making amends for the total absence of even a violin, more especially so when he has to beat time with one hand. The public of Victoria have patronized the opera in a most liberal manner, and the treatment they have received at the hands of the management is little short of scandalous. Again, with regard to programmes. On entering, one was handed a veritable blanket, and after ten minutes search the bare cast of the play was found occupying a couple of inches in an ocean of irrelevant matter.

If the duty on the programmes is too great, a few dollars spent among the printers of the city would have been only an act of justice to the city at large. Besides no duty is, as a rule, collected off musicians and if proper talent could not (?) have been obtained in town, why were not performers imported?

The troupe are without exception the best that has been here for some time, and Victorians have already shown their appreciation of the merits of the several members, so that in condemning the parsimoniousness of the management I make no allusion to the performers.

THESPIS.

Victoria, May 22, 1886.

### But Partly Read.

I opened once some quaint romance
And reading, fast the moments flew,
But hindered by some trifling chance
I failed to read the volume through.

And now 'tis years ago, and life
Seems long as I that time recall,
I know it was some tale of strife
And lives were made to climb and fall.

I still remember with what zest
I read and guessed the second part,
But now would like to learn the rest
But greater wonders move my heart.

Oh, friends of yore! oh, sacred band!
Forsaken, scattered, changed and dead,
How in my lonely heart ye stand
Like tales of youth but partly read.


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### Australasian News.

Our dates are Melbourne April 17th, and New Zealand April 23rd:

The Union company's steamer Talaroa was wrecked on April 11th on the passage from Wellington to Lyttleton, New Zealand, and thirty-four of those on board were lost, including five women. The vessel ran on the beach near Warpapa point. A terrific sea was running, but the wind was off the land and kept the boats away from the vessel. Great difficulty was experienced in keeping the boats free from water, the men continually bailing. Before midnight a heavy sea capsized one of the boats and the occupants were seen struggling in the water. Some were pulled aboard the big life-boat, which thus became overloaded and the confusion becoming general it also capsized. Just then the captain's boat got away, and as it passed the occupants tried to throw a line to the capsized boat, but missed, and it was lost in the darkness. Another boat was slacked down to the people struggling in the water, but it crashed against the vessel's side and its occupants were thrown out and drowned; only two men reached the shore by swimming.

The accounts which reached Wellington give a harrowing statement of the sufferings of the occupants of the boats. As each boat load of human beings disappeared in the dreadful surge of each overwhelming sea the occupants of the next boat seemed to have given themselves up to despair and expired, the dead bodies being thrown overboard in the hope of giving hope and courage to the living.

The women held up bravely for a while, but at length gave up all hopes. Some cried aloud; others never uttered a word. The Talaroa was an iron screw steamer, of 438 tons. She had been engaged in the coasting trade of New Zealand for some years, and was always a favorite boat among passengers.

A great colliery disaster occurred at Lithgow, New South Wales, on April 20th, by which five men lost their lives. Ten men were working in the shaft, endeavoring to extinguish the fire which broke out recently in the mine, when an explosion took place. The survivors described the sensation being as if the mine was tumbling on them from all directions. Five perished from foul air almost within sound of the rescuing party. Their deaths were attended with great agony.

The German gunboat Albatross arrived at Sydney on April 12th, reports having punished the natives of a number of villages in New Britain and New Ireland for the murder of other natives, of white traders, and for robbery. In addition to those wounded nearly seventy natives in all were killed. All are said to have been well armed.

Alexander Crooks, the treasurer of the Commercial bank of South Australia, pleaded guilty to the embezzlement of £5000 at Adelaide on April 8th. The judge sentenced him to eight years at hard labor.

Edward B. Holt, the defaulting manager of the Sydney branch of the bank of New Zealand, was arrested at Brisbane, Queensland, on April 4th. Two hundred pounds in gold were found on him.

Neil Peter Sorensen, who had been convicted of assault and robbery under arms on the high seas, and of assaulting Charles Leslie, cook on board the schooner Douro, was sentenced at Brisbane on the 8th to fifteen years' penal servitude.

The bark South Milton, sugar-laden and bound from Mauritius to Melbourne, was wrecked near Barwon Heads on April 11th. She struck on Limeburner's Reef about 4 o'clock in the morning. All hands were saved.

### A Mark of Royal Favor.

Of the royal blue button a correspondent in Australia writes: "You get one when you are received by the Queen, or if it is in Australia, where I get mine, by the governor-general, who represents her. It is an ordinary looking button, having on its exposed surface a groundwork of drab upon which a yellowish rosette with a blue centre is worked. A metal shank with a small metal disk painted black completes the article. In the manufacturing they must cost about 40 cents a gross. One of these is given to each person who has audience with the governor, and is worn in the lappel of the coat as a badge of royal favor. The governor-general is a great gun in the colonies, and there is more red tape about him than can be found at Windsor Castle. When he condescends to go to the theatre, his visit costs the local manager about $200 for carpets and decorations, and then he takes such a retinue with him, all of whom get in for nothing, that there is little room for the rest of the public. A funny thing concerning his visit is that as soon as he enters the door the performance must stop, the band or orchestra strikes up 'God Save the Queen,' and everybody in the house rises to his or her feet and turns to the royal box, remaining standing until the governor sits down. I saw a performance of Uncle Tom's Cabin once, in Adelaide; the governor came in just as 'Eliza' was crossing the ice, and there she had to stand in midstream on the tossing floes until 'God Save the Queen' came to an end and the governor took his seat, when 'Eliza' resumed her journey over the dancing ice cakes."

### Empress Eugenie.

The following is the latest story that is told about the Empress Eugenie, who has ever been a striking figure since the day she charmed Napoleon III with the wreath of violets she wore in her golden hair. "'Twas morning then, but now the night has come." A few days ago, says the chronicler, a visitor to the Marcus church at Venice, where the ex-empress is now staying, observed a lady dressed in deepest mourning, kneeling in long silent prayer before one of the side altars. When at last she arose, she looked about her in search of something which she missed, and then walked slowly away, and supporting herself by the wall, toward the entrance. The stranger politely offered his arm, which was gratefully accepted, the lady meanwhile explaining that one of the beggars must have taken her silver headed walking-stick away, without which she was "very helpless." Outside the church two liveried footmen were waiting; the stranger on retiring offered his address card, (alas, for cruel Nemesis, he was a German from Berlin!) glancing at which the lady was seen to shudder slightly and then return the civility by whispering, "Empress Eugenie, and—homeless."

SUDDEN WEALTH.—Old gentleman (to tramp, to whom he has just given a nickle)—Now, my friend, what will you do with all that money?

Tramp, (gazing awe-struck at the nickle)—I think I'll put part of it in the bank, sir, and the rest I'll spend for a peach-blow vas.

### An Unhappy Princess.

The newly married royal pair, Prince Antoine de Montpensier and the Infanta Eulalia, are expected to arrive shortly in Paris. In point of view of wealth and political fitness the young Spanish Princess has made a very brilliant match. Prince Antoine is the only surviving son of the Duke de Montpensier, and has been richly endowed by his astute father, whose dream has always been of gaining the throne of Spain, if not for himself, then for his grandchildren, and who therefore pressed on the match with all possible fervor. But I doubt if there are many American mothers who would like to see their daughters, however portionless they might be, joined to such a husband as has fallen to the lot of the unfortunate Princess Eulalia.

For Antonio is weak-minded. He is not exactly an idiot, but he is what the Scotch expressively call wanting. On the other hand, his luckless bride is a remarkably intelligent, spirited girl, highly accomplished and speaking several languages with facility. She is probably the most intellectual member of the Royal family of Spain and has a great deal of strength of character. She is bitterly opposed to the marriage of her cousin, but political expediancy and family conventions overruled her very natural distaste for such an alliance. Viewed in such light, the bridal photographs of the young couple wear almost a tragic aspect, the fine, intelligent countenance of the Princess beneath the shadowy lace mantilla contrasting with the weak, foolish face, hanging jaw and loose, feeble lips of her bridegroom. "Spited with a fool!" and for a lifetime. Alas! poor Princess Eulalia!—*Lucy H. Hooper.*

MUTUAL CONCESSION.—There was a large attendance at Friday evening's prayer meeting at the Blue Light Tabernacle. After the exercises were over and the benediction had been pronounced, Jim Webster got up and addressed the pulpit as follows: "Parson does you know dat dar am gwinter be a cullered 'scurshun to Houston next Lord's day?" "I has heard so, Brudder Webster." Well, parson, a two-third majority of dis congregashun am desirous ob desecratin' de nex' Lord's day by gwinter Houston on the 'scurshun, and as de spokesman I has ter submit a propersishun for yore considerashun." "What am dat propersishun?" "De propersishun am ter de effec' dat of you will 'scuse dis congregashun from 'tendin' de sarvices in de mawnin', dis congregashun will 'scuse you frem 'tendin' de sarvices in de evenin'."—*Texas Siftings.*


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May 22nd, 1886. my23

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Victoria, B.C., 22nd May, 1886. my23

**QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY.**

THE FOLLOWING ARE THE

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**Wednesday, 16th day of June**

For the Construction of

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Surveyor-General.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, B.C., 22nd May, 1886. my24td

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**NOTICE.**

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WILL BE HOLDEN AT THE UNDERMENTIONED places and times, viz:—

At LILLOOET.....On 4th June next.
At CLINTON.....On 17th June next.
At SODA CREEK.....On 30th June next.
At QUESNELLEMOUTH.....On 3rd July next.
At RICHFIELD.....On 8th July next.

By Command,
JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office
May 22nd, 1886. my25
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DANCING IN THE PAVILION during the Afternoon and Evening.

MUSIC will be furnished by the VICTORIA QUINTETTE QUADRILLE ORCHESTRA.

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JOSEPH W. TRUTCH,
Dominion Government Agent.
Victoria, B.C., 20th May, 1886. my22

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**Card of Thanks.**

I BEG TO RETURN MY MOST SINCERE thanks to those citizens and firemen who so nobly responded to the call and saved my property from total destruction by fire on Thursday evening. But for their timely aid I should have been burned out of house and home.

S. B. GILLESPIE.
Victoria, May 14th, 1886. my15

**REDUCTION IN RAILWAY FREIGHT RATES**

—ON—

**CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY**

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RATES AS FOLLOWS WILL BE IN EFFECT on and after May 1st, 1886:—

Hammond or Moody to Spence Bridge,
1st and 2d class, $1 60 ℔ 100lbs.
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Any quantity, irrespective of ultimate destination.
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**COLUMBIA AND KOOTENAY RAILWAY AND TRANSPORTATION CO.**

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS of above company will be held at DAVIE & POOLEY'S office on Monday, June 7th, 1886.

By order of the President.
Victoria, May 10th, 1886. my11 1m

**THIS IS TO INFORM THE PUBLIC**

THAT THE WING CHONG COMPANY ARE IN no way associated with the firm of WING CHONG LUNG CO., which lately disposed of their stock to the HIP LUNG COMPANY.

WING CHONG CO.
Victoria, April 26, 1886. ap27 m

**WM. LENNOX,**

CHIMNEY SWEEPER, WHITEWASHER AND CARPET CLEANER,

JOHNSON ST., NEAR MAYNARD'S BOOT STORE
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IN GENUINE BUSINESS WELL ESTABLISHED. Will suit an energetic young man. Liabilities paid to date. Price $1000. PICKERING & CO., Fort street, above Broad. my22 12t

**WANTED**

BY A MIDDLE-AGED WOMAN A SITUATION as nurse or housekeeper. Highest references. Address "D.D.," care drawer L., New Westminster, B.C. my14 5t

**WANTED**

A SITUATION BY A YOUNG MAN WHO HAS had experience in keeping a store, or would act as agent. No objection to the country. References.
ap21 Address "R.," at *The Colonist* office.

**WANTED:**

A RESPECTABLE YOUNG MAN WANTED TO travel on commission. Address
my20 d5tw1t A. H. MAHON, Winnipeg, Man.

**INFORMATION WANTED**

ABOUT DUGALD CAMERON, NATIVE OF Strontain, Argyll, Scotland. Emigrated to Canada. Went from Bruce Mine, Canada, West, to California in 1869. Supposed to have died in British Columbia in 1864. Reward. Apply FINLAYSON, Solicitor, Crieff, Scotland. my5dw2w

**WANTED**

A CANVASSER TO SELL SEWING MACHINES in the city and country. Apply to the Singer Manufacturing Co.'s offices, W. H. ADAMS, agent, at Fawcett & Co., Government street. my11 1w

TENDERS.

**Notice to Contractors, Builders, &c.**

**WORKS AND REPAIRS**

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED ON BEHALF of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, until NOON of

**MONDAY, 31st MAY, INSTANT,**

For Works and Repairs to be executed at the

**NAVAL YARD, POWDER MAGAZINES AND RIFLE RANGE.**

Specifications can be seen at the Naval Yard, and at the office of Mr. John Teague, Architect, Victoria.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Tenders to be endorsed, "Tenders for Works and Repairs."

T. SYDNEY DOBBIN,
For Naval Storekeeper, &c.
Naval Yard, Esquimalt,
17th May, 1886. my18

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—ON—

**Tuesday Evening, May 25th**

IN AID OF

**THE ROYAL HOSPITAL**

—AND—

**PROTESTANT ORPHANS' HOME,**

Under the Patronage of

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor,
The Hon. Senator W. J. Macdonald,
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The Hon. Roderick Finlayson,
Robert Dunsmuir, Esq., M. P. P.,
R. P. Rithet, Esq.,
Dr. W. J. Tolmie, and
His Worship the Mayor and Council of Victoria.

ADMISSION—Dress Circle and Parquette, 50 cents; Gallery, 25 cents. Tickets may be obtained on and after Friday, 7th inst. at Mr. Morton's, Stationer, Government street, where seats may be reserved on payment of an additional 25 cents. my6

Ladies' $7 French Kid Gaiters for $4.00, at the Cheap Variety Store, Masonic Building, Douglas Street. Also two hundred Ladies' Jerseys on view.

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To Farmers, Milkmen and Poultry Raisers.

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IN VICTORIA.

# Daily Colonist.

SUNDAY MORNING, MAY 23RD, 1886.


## SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

### PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

May 22—Str Geo. E. Starr, Pt Townsend
Str Amelia, Nanaimo
Str R. P. Rithet, New Westminster
Str Queen of the Pacific, Pt Townsend

CLEARED.

May 22—Str Geo. E Starr, Pt Towasend
Str R. P. Rithet, New Westminster
Str Amelia, Nanaimo
Str Queen of the Pacific, San Francisco

### PASSENGERS.

Per str R. P. RITHET, fm New Westminster—Mrs and the Misses Armstrong, Miss Kelly, Smith Comedy Co, Mrs Watney, Judge O'Reilly, L O Powers and wf, G Taylor, Gibson, Mitchell, Munroe, H Johnson, T R Johnson, Geo Hayes, Wilson, J Flanagan, J J Moore, I B Fisher, G E Corbould, C D Rand, J H Todd, Mrs Malle.

Per str AMELIA, from Nanaimo—Hewitt, J Davis, Mrs Price, J Williams, Urquhart, Hoff, Mrs Hallday, Brown and wf, Schwartz, Mrs Sheppard, H Croft, A R Johnston, Oppenheimer, Bell, Miss Jackson, Wood and others.

Per str GEO. E. STARR, from Puget Sound—W Brockett, Choister, Geo Tilson, Mrs Walker, Annie McLaney, J F Jones and wf, Gen Toomolta, Wm Mosam, J Predeaux and wf, Mrs Plimpton, Dr Cooper, wf and 2 dens, Anderson and wf, Mrs Eole and son, Mrs Wagner, W E Peck, J N Maxwell, M Murray, Parscott, Jeffry, G Grass, G White, L M Jones, O C Haines, M Dowson, W Campbell, Beaumont, W H Marshall, Chambrolin, D Lee, H Dobson, Wm Demont, P Combred, W Campbell, T K Abbott, D Even C L Evans, R E Ramsay, Mrs McManniss, Miss Nunan, Miss Morse, E Price, A P Taylor, J Faish, G Grodle, Misses Evans, Butte, Miss Smith, J Walker, T Hixcock, McNally.

Per ss QUEEN OF THE PACIFIC, for San Fran: Henry Bird, W Yates, H M Cavendish, Wm Carrins, T Harger, Capt D Urquhart, Mr Mallette.

### CONSIGNEES.

Per bk ALDEN BESSE, fm Hongkong—Order, Order of Messrs Sugfried & Brandstein, Fook Yuen, Sun Kee, Tai Fung, Yue Yuen, Sing Lee, On Hing, Kwong Tuck Lung, Wing On, Chew Chong, Kwong Tai Soong, Hip Loong, Sun Chung & Co, Kue Kee, Tai Cheung, Fook Kee, Po Yuen, Tai Yuen, Bo Kee, Kwong On Lung, Quong Fook, J A O'Brien.

Per str. GEO. E. STARR, from Puget Sound—A Ofner, H G Walker, J Sehl, C R King, J B Ferguson, Baker & J, J Rosseau, RCPM Co, D Spencer, C Strouss & Co, Burns & Co, W H Redmond, S J Pitts, B Williams, P McQuade, Col In Rev, M Lenz, E B Carmichael, Templeton & N, C M Bucher, H Y Co, J Carrington, Belmont Co, T B & Co, D W Higgins, E G Prior, J H Todd, M Sinclair, T Earle, T Dunn, J Wise, J L Sculley, F Noble, J Dwyer & Co, J Cunningham, S H Webb, J Levy, A R Johnson, W McDonald.

## Personal.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Pither will leave for Leroy county, New York, to-morrow. They will be absent about three months. As a successful business man Victoria will have no abler representative at the east than Mr. Pither.

Mr. W. H. Marshall, Portland, agent of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway, is in the city.

Mrs. Moore has donated a quantity of linen to the Royal hospital.

Mr. R. J. Armstrong and the Misses Armstrong of New Westminster arrived on the steamer yesterday. They will leave for Port Hope, Ont., to-morrow, and will remain absent several months.

Ex-Speaker Williams and Mrs. Williams, who lately returned from England, are somewhat exhausted from the effects of the long journey, but are daily regaining strength and will soon be quite well again.

Mr. J. H. Todd was a passenger by the Rithet yesterday.

Judge O'Reilly returned from the mainland yesterday.

Mr. C. D. Rand came down from New Westminster yesterday.

Mr. G. C. Corbould of New Westminster came down on the Rithet yesterday.

At the Occidental: T. K. Abbott, Portland; A. N. Milne, New Westminster.

Dr. W. M. Chamberlain of New York is in town.

Mr. A. E. Irvine, of the Sun Life Assurance company, has returned from Portland, where he had gone to meet Mrs. Irvine and child, on their way from Detroit.

Mr. D. J. McKinley. of Seattle, late purser of the Eliza Anderson, was in town yesterday. He goes to San Francisco to sell some property upon which he expects to net a handsome profit.

Major-General Lyon Fremantle arrived from England yesterday and is at the Driard.

Capt. Jemmett and party sailed for the Naas river to-day.

Mr. Hans Helgesen, M. P. P., left by the steamer Boscowitz for Rivers inlet last night.

Capt. Urquhart left for San Francisco yesterday.

## A Celestial Scene.

It would seem as if all Chinatown had gathered at Welch, Rithet & Co.'s wharf yesterday when the Chinese passengers by the Alden Besse were being landed. Thirty-four Celestials of all kinds, sorts and descriptions, had the pleasure of presenting the Canadian government with $50 each for the privilege of viewing our dusty streets and taking up a habitation in sweet-smelling Chinatown. A well-known Fisgard street dude was present, evidently "on the mash." In his jaunty way he "smiled, and smiled, and smiled again," and seemed to be master of all the little arts which please the female heart. He was heard to say that one dusky cherub had "ketched on," and she had, judging by her manifestations of delight at being singled out as the object of so many evidences of a deep passion. The soft scene was prolonged until the fair one was allowed to land. She was taken in hand by a hard-visaged countryman of hers, while the dapper young fellow who had ogled her, followed at a respectable distance, his heart in his eyes and his hands in his pockets.

## Church Notice.

Father Brabant will preach this morning at the pro-Cathedral, and Archbishop Seghers in the evening at 7 o'clock.

Rev. G. Graedel, of Seattle, will conduct a German divine service in the school room of the First Presbyterian church this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

## The Weather.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 22.—Indications for the next 32 hours in Oregon and Washington: Fair weather followed by increasing cloudiness and occasional showers.


HAVING succeeded to the business of Messrs. J. B. Ferguson & Co. we would ask a continuance of the generous patronage which has been extended them in the past. There is no change in place or persons, and our motto still will be, "FIRST CLASS GOODS AT MODERATE PRICES." We endeavor to give our customers as much as possible for their money.

THE BRITISH COLUMBIA STATIONERY AND PRINTING CO. (Limited).
J. B. FERGUSON, General Manager.


THE C. P. R.—It is reported that all matters of dispute between A. Onderdonk and the Dominion government have been amicably settled.

THE MEDAL, to be presented to-morrow to the athlete who throws the base-ball the furthest, is on exhibition at Frank Campbell's. The engraving reflects much credit on Mr. Phillips, who did the work.


CALL and have a talk with FISHER, the ARCHITECT, before you order your plans.*


# THE FISHERY QUESTION.

## Complications That Promise Trouble.

## Secretary Bayard Protecting the Fishermen.

## Portland in a White Heat.

(Exclusive to The Colonist)

PORTLAND, Me., May 22.—The proprietors of the schooner Ella W. Doughty, under seizure by the Canadian authorities, received a dispatch from Englishtown, C. B., to-day, from Capt. Doughty, in which he says: "Consul has been here. Can't do anything. Vessel is stripped."

NEW YORK, May 22.—A Washington special says that the department is actively engaged in negotiations designed to protect the interests of the American fishermen. There has as yet been no official declaration of its position for manifest reasons while the negotiations are in their present stage. The administration cannot properly make public the correspondence had with the British minister here and with our minister to England; but a dispatch from Senator Bayard, which follows, will show he has the interests of the fishermen at heart. Senator Frye, of Maine, recently addressed the secretary of state the following letter:

"Washington, May 20.—Hon. Thomas F. Bayard, secretary of state. Dear Sir,—I respectfully submit to your consideration the enclosed telegram received this morning from the president of the American fishery union. I assume that the state department is giving this matter such consideration as its importance demands. The urgency of immediate action for the protection and relief of those American citizens cannot be over estimated. I regard the conduct of the Canadian government as entirely unjustified, and without the treacy of law or good neighborhood.

"W. P. FRYE."

Enclosed was a telegram already printed in these dispatches. To this letter Secretary Bayard has sent the following reply (unofficial):

DEPARTMENT OF STATE,
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 20.

Hon. WM. P. Frye, U. S. Senate:

DEAR SIR—Before your note of to-day was received a telegram of similar purport in relation to the refusal to allow the American schooners Jennie and Julia to purchase herring for smoking at Digby had been received, and steps were taken by me to ascertain all the facts, and instant representations made to the British minister to call to account the collector at Digby for what I consider a gross breach of the commercial rights of the citizens of the United States. The late reprehensible action of the Canadian officials in relation to the American fishing vessels has occurred in remote localities without facilities for postal communication, and, consequently, there has been delay, regretable but unavoidable, in receiving consular reports; but your assumption, "that this department is giving the matter such consideration as its importance demands will, I believe, be fully sustained, when the proper time arrives for the publication of its action. I trust I am properly conscious of the delicate and important public functions, and that the interests and honor of my country, and the rights of the citizens will not be found to have suffered at my hands. T. F. BAYARD."

A gentleman who has taked with Secretary Bayard upon this subject within a day or two says that he is as much interested in the matter as either of the Maine senators can be, and that he has great regard for the fishermen. He expresses himself very forcibly as to the conduct of the Canadian authorities. He looks at the question as an American and not from a party standpoint and says there is no policy in it, that the action of the department cannot be made public yet, but that he can assure any congressional friend of the fisherman that everything that is possible is being done to protect their interests. With regard to the refusal of the collector of customs at Digby to permit the captain of the Jennie and Julia to buy herring there to smoke, he said that he had instructed Consul Phelan to go at once to Digby and investigate. Secretary Bayard deprecated any attempt on the part of fishermen to coerce the Canadian government by force of arms, and said that every step in that direction would weaken the United States and strengthen Canada. He hoped also that the American fishermen would strictly observe the local customs rulings in Canada.

PORTLAND, Me., May 22.—At a special meeting of the city council to-day resolutions were passed denouncing the acts of the Canadian government in seizing the American schooners as an insult to the American flag, calling for reparation, and in case it is refused, asking that the United States adopt retaliatory measures. The resolutions are to be sent to the Maine senators. A Portland firm has on the way a Canadian schooner with a full cargo of bait, and arrangements are being made to establish a station between the three mile limit so as to give Americans all the bait they want.

COKE OVENS.—The Tacoma Coal Co., whose mines are at Wilkeson, W. T., propose to erect forty coke ovens. The Tacoma Ledger says that the company have the only coking coal discovered on the Pacific coast. This is incorrect. Nanaimo district coal coked before the Ledger or the Tacoma Coal Co. was dreamed of. The abundant supply of coal for all the coke required for smelting works can be had at Nanaimo.

POLICE NOTES.—At the police court yesterday, Lily Williams, upon the same old charge, d. and d., was discharged.... T. W. Fletcher, charged with turning a hose upon Alphonse Leroy, pleaded guilty and wished that the stream had been something stronger. The sprinkling being deemed misdirected, was charged at the rate of $10 and costs.... B. Wrede, charged with assaulting F. Amery, was fined $10.

THE Smith Comedy company came down from the mainland by the Rithet yesterday, and are said to have met with great success. As the steamer neared the wharf the band played several selections, and the "music on the waters" was much enjoyed.

THE FUNERAL of the late J. P. Donovan took place at 9 o'clock yesterday morning from the pro-Cathedral, and was largely attended. Messrs. McPhee, Portman, Ross, McFeeley, Murray and McDonald acted as pall-bearers.

TWELVE HORSES came down from the mainland yesterday by the Rithet, for the Victoria Transfer Co.

COMMON Sense in the Nursery by Marion Harland at T. N. HIBBEN & Co.'s †

A FULL supply of P. D. & S. copy books just received by HIBBEN & Co. *

# THE YUKON COUNTRY,

## And Those Who are Going There.

JUNEAU, Alaska, May 15, 1886.

The Yukon craze still continues unabated, and Juneau is almost depopulated. Every miner who could raise enough money to buy an outfit has gone to the Yukon. The outfit consists of 300 pounds of flour, 80 pounds of bacon, 50 pounds of sugar, 10 pounds of tea, 20 pounds of salt, 60 pounds of beans, 25 pounds of nails, a shovel, pick and pan, an axe, hatchet, a whip-saw to every 25 men, 25 pounds of tobacco, some kind of a shooting-iron — mostly breech-loaders, and plenty of ammunition compose the bulk of the outfit. This is supposed to last six months, with the addition of game and fish that may be killed, both of which are said to be abundant. The above named outfit is done up in 100 pound packages, mostly in sacks; that amount constitutes a load for one man. This has to be transported

ACROSS THE DIVIDE FROM CHILGOOT

to the lakes, some 35 miles, on the backs of Indians, who charge from $10 to $14 per hundred, when they reach the lakes, which are the head-waters of a river emptying into the Yukon. There, all stop and whip-saw out lumber and build boats in which they row and sail down the chain of lakes and into

THE GREAT RIVER OF THE NORTH.

Upon reaching the river they go up or down, as their fancy dictates, and up the numerous tributaries of that stream in search of the "root of all evil." So far, over 150 have left for the supposed new Eldorado, and more are preparing to go, almost leaving Juneau deserted; consequently, business of all kinds is very dull and to add to the general dullness and depression, many have come here broke, expecting to obtain work from the miners. Winter yet reigns almost supreme, and the spring will be the latest known by over two months. The Silver Bend Basin is still covered several feet deep in snow and will not disappear, in all probability, before the 20th of June, or later. The Treadwell mill has been running full time the last month and has had a greater output of golden bricks than for several months past—said to be

OVER $80,000 WORTH.

The company has erected a large storehouse and were opening the largest stock of goods ever seen in Alaska.

DOUGLAS CITY,

above the mill, is still growing; in fact, building up rapidly. No attempts are being made to open other mines as yet, or build any new stamp mills, and no one should come here at present, unless they have sufficient funds to pay expenses for, at least six, or more properly, twelve months; particularly laboring men, as there are several here now without money and unable to procure a day's work. Several are returning on this trip of the Idaho, and several more would if they only had the means. P. R. SMITH.

## The Coal Trade.

J. W. Harrison, of San Francisco, in his last weekly review, says: Since the sailing of the last Australian mail steamer there have been the following arrivals from Newcastle and Sydney: The Ericsson, 1900 tons; Don Nicolas, 1210 tons; total, 3110 tons. If the yards had not been carrying very full stocks of Australian early in the year, there would of necessity have been a temporary scarcity, as the imports for the past ninety days have been much lighter than our actual requirements called for, hence the stock now on hand is very slim; under ordinary circumstances this would have bettered prices, but no improvement is noticeable, as sales have been so freely made of Australian, for loading and *en route*, at lower price than ever ruled here before at this season, viz., $5 60 to $5 62 per ton for Wallsend and Greta, and $5 to $5.12 per ton for Coal Cliff and Bulli; last year from January to May prices of Wallsend averaged from $6.50 to $6 87 per ton, and these were deemed peculiarly low quotations at the time. These prices appear tempting enough to make buyers eager to lay in large stocks, but such is not the case, as the general belief is that no material improvement can take place for twelve months at least; our immense demand for wheat carriers will insure us an over supply of all grades of fuel into 1887, even if some of our coast collieries should remain, as at present, non-producers. In the face of these quotations a cargo of new grade of gas coal has been shipped here from Australia seeking a buyer. Wallsend and Greta, spot $5.75 per ton; *en route* and loading $5.50 to $5.62; Coal Cliff and Bulli, spot to arrive, $5 to $5 12 per ton. Between the 1st of January and the 1st of May coal receipts at San Francisco were as below stated:

| | TONS. |
|---|---|
| Tacoma | 49,033 |
| Nanaimo | 19,390 |
| Departure Bay | 47,648 |
| Coos Bay | 15,207 |
| Australia | 28,553 |
| Cardiff | 13,830 |
| Seattle | 30,677 |
| Liverpool steam | 8,162 |
| Anthracite | 3,029 |
| Cumberland | 8,593 |
| West Hartley | 1,702 |
| Total | 225,224 |

## Dease Creek.

The past winter was a very severe one the thermometer sometimes indicating as low as 60 deg. below zero.

Very little mining has been carried on during the winter and no new discoveries made.

Many miners are of opinion that Cassiar is about worked out. One thing is certain, the population is fast decreasing every year. It is thought that the number this season will not amount to more than one hundred—Chinese included.


## Pictures and Picture Frames

Just received, an immense stock of fine ornamental and other kinds of Mouldings, Works of Art and all kinds of Pictures which will be sold at Bedrock prices, wholesale and retail. Up-country orders punctually filled. JOS. SOMERS,
Government st., two doors below the new Bank.
*3m


RICH AND RARE.—*The Colonist* is in receipt from H. Henly, Clover Point, of twelve varieties of pansies and a number of new potatoes. Mr. Henly has a well earned reputation of producing early the healthful vegetables—very different from the varieties grown in the refuse filth of Chinatown.

NO PAPER will be issued from this office on Tuesday morning, owing to the Queen's birthday intervening.

## What Some People Say

That the death of General Hancock is said to have plunged Mrs. Hancock into an almost constant melancholy.

That Sarah Bernhardt grows just a tiny mite stouter than she was. The additional weight is represented by a bread crumb.

That Plon-Plon likes a good dinner, and his brother-in-law, King Humbert of Italy, knows how to give one when he likes.

That the prettiest line of BOYS' JERSEY SUITS ever shown in this city has just been opened at JEFFREE'S. *

That a competition has been opened in France for designs for a statue to Jean Baptiste Dumas, to be erected at Alals at a cost of $8,000.

That the Princess Bargash Said Medfid, sister of the sultan of Zanzibar, is now visiting Paris, and exciting much admiration for her superb horsemanship.

That the oldest Freemason has just passed away. He was a son of Scotia. Oldest masons in America are so common that they have ceased to be curious.

That if you want the finest kind of Bath Soap and a genuine article of Carbolic Soap, call on PENDRAY & Co. *

That it is always a good thing for fashionable ladies to write their memoirs, and it will gratify many ladies of vigorous ideas to know that Mary Walker, M. D., contemplates compiling hers.

That Preacher Moody, now in Chicago, said to a newspaper caller: "I don't like to be interviewed. A talk with a reporter makes me feel like a fool. Why? Why, you always make me talk about myself—that and nothing else—and I'd rather talk on any other subject."

That T. J. Jones, L. D. S., has removed his dental rooms over the new Bank of British Columbia, corner of Fort and Government streets. Telephone call 507. 1m

That it is only the men who resort to libel suits. Mrs. George Harting of Elwood, Ind., considered herself aggrieved by a publication in a local paper, assaulted the editor, Roy Hannah, with a peck of the most ancient eggs that could be picked up in the town. The account of the assault says that the eggs pattered on his head, back and shoulders until his entire rear had assumed a crushed pumpkin hue.

That the missing U. S. steamer Nipsic has arrived at New York.

That the Tallow, Crown, and White Mottled Soaps, manufactured by PENDRAY & Co., cannot be surpassed *

That the tower of London has been reopened to visitors, after having been closed for more than a year on account of the dynamite explosion.

That the reason Patti fainted just before going on the Lisbon stage in Carmen was that in her presence the hotel porter had shot his wife dead, that very evening.

That JULIUS BARRAN, Yates street, has imported some very fine German Maattwurst and some choice eastern hams. Call and see him. *

That the Austrian government organ assures the world that the relations between Austria and the United States are entirely cordial. The diplomats are merely taking a rest.

That the large Italian ironclad Italia lately made a run of forty-seven and a half miles in two hours and twenty minutes. This means an average speed of close on eighteen knots an hour.

That a fine picture of the Henley regatta is on view at the Arlington. *

That the Belgian government proposes to advance 1,000,000f. at 3½ per cent., for the immediate rebuilding of industrial establishments destroyed by the rioters, to be repaid when the question of the indemnities to be granted to these proprietors shall have been settled.

## Mainland News.

[Columbian].

Rev. J. S. Mackay, M. A., pastor of St. Andrew's church in this city, died on Thursday at his father's house in Thamesford, Ontario.

People are still going to the Granite creek mines.

The cribbing along the river front for the railway is now well advanced from the Brunette sawmills down half way to the woolen mills. A large gang of men is employed on that section.

(Guardian.)

The salmon are playing bo peep with the fishermen. They come up in a shoal, a few good hauls are made—just sufficient to induce their pursuers to put on additional boats and then—they disappear.

The river is rising rapidly and raft is passing down in increasing quantities.

Mosquitoes are beginning their buzziness.

## The Northern Pacific Railway Company.

PHILADELPHIA, May 20, 8:50 p.m.

J. M. BUCKLEY, Tacoma:—Bids were opened at the meeting of our board of directors to-day for the construction of the remaining seventy-five miles, including the switchback, on the Cascade division. All were found below the estimate. The board authorized the acceptance of the bid of the lowest responsible bidder, the work to be pushed without delay; also $25,000 was appropriated for the enlargement of the company's docks and the extension of a branch and roadway below the bunkers.

C. B. WRIGHT.

## Marine.

Bark Harvest Home still lies with her nose in the mud at Cook's ways.

Tenders for repairs to bark Arabella are asked by Mr. H. Saunders until Wednesday next at noon.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, May 22.—Arrived—Steamer San Pedro, Tacoma; schooner Maid of Orleans, Columbia river; steamer Columbia, Portland; British steamer Wellington, Nanaimo.

Cleared—Steamer Columbia, Astoria; ship Belvidere, Nanaimo.

VICTORIA DRIVING PARK.—A series of races will take place at the Victoria Driving Park to-morrow afternoon, at one o'clock. They comprise a half-mile and repeat, free for all race; a one mile and repeat, for trotting horses that have never beaten 3:10, and a half-mile dash for two-year-old colts. There have already been three entries in each race, and it is probable more will follow. All lovers of the turf are assured of a good day's sport, and Mr. Birdsall intends leaving no stone unturned to secure this result. Easy access to the grounds will be had, and a judicious selection has been made in the judges and starters. A good deal of interest is felt in the races in local sporting circles.

PARADE AND SALUTE.—The School of Gunnery will parade on Monday morning and proceed to McAuley's Point where a naval salute will be fired at dawn.


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## Billee Taylor.

"All on account of Eliza," were the predominating words hummed and spoken as the audience flocked from The Victoria theatre last night, after witnessing the comic opera of "Billee Taylor." And a large audience they had formed as they sat and applauded the many solos, choruses and drolleries of this very droll opera. Mr. Willett Seaman was quite at home as Capt. Flapper, the "Lothario-est" of salt-water dudes; he was natural, vivacious, and in good voice. Mr. W. H. Gillow, as Sir Mincing Lane, whose honors had rolled in as his sugar barrels had rolled out, completely sank his identity in the character he represented, than which no higher praise could be given, and consequently, the humor of the part lost nothing when delivered through the medium of this gentleman. The appearance of Mr. A. W. F. MacCollin, as Ben Barnacle, was the signal for laughter and applause, and the comical get up was supplemented by the famous ditty of "All on account of Eliza." The air was catching, the words were humorous, and these two facts combined rendered it incumbent upon MacCollin to respond to several encores. Mr. J. K. Murray in the character of Christopher Crab struck one as being most natural of manner, without those "mincing" airs that detract from the performance of so many otherwise good actors. He acted without artificiality, spoke well and distinctly, and sang even better. Mr. Branson, who possesses a good voice took the part of "Billee." During the first part Mr. W. Murchie in the character of Bill Cackle, singing the lay (*l*) of the Shanghai rooster, convulsed the audience with his excellent imitation of that bird's vocal peculiarities, finishing each tune with a veteran "crow" whose fidelity received a unanimous tribute. Among the ladies Miss Bebe Vining as Arabella Lane, Phœbe (Miss Franc Hall), Miss May Branson as Susan, and Miss Gillord as Eliza, deserve more especial mention than space enables us to give. Though the "wait" between the acts was too long, the piece throughout was a success; the choruses were full, musical and well timed, and the amount of byplay was up to the average. "Gags" too were not wanting—one local allusion being particularly well greeted. The Thompson opera company gives its farewell performance on Monday night in the "Merry War" which, if the past week's experience forms any criterion, will be well patronized.

## The Queen's Birthday.

The Queen's birthday will be duly celebrated in this city. The principal attraction will of course be the athletic tournament of the Victoria Athletic club and the Queen City band, at the Agricultural grounds, Beacon Hill. A fine programme has been arranged, including walking and running races, jumping of all kinds, girls' race, and a horizontal bar and slack wire performance. The object, the purchasing of apparatus and uniforms, is a good one, and there ought to be a large gathering of citizens. In addition to the prizes announced, the baseballist who makes the longest throw will be presented with a handsome silver medal. The Reds and Amities, to whom an invitation had been extended, have accepted and will be present. The Queen City band will be in attendance, and a string band will furnish music in the dancing hall.

The Athletic Club will parade from their hall on Yates street at 1 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. The exercises will begin at 2 p. m.

The international baseball match at Beacon hill promises to be an exciting one, and our boys will doubtless play a plucky, and, we trust, winning game.

There will be three races for valuable cash prizes at the Driving Park, and good sport may be anticipated.

Then there will be an excursion by the Amelia to Nanaimo, which no doubt will be largely patronized.

On the whole everybody has an opportunity to enjoy himself in his own peculiar way, and we trust that the good Queen's sixty-seventh birthday will be heartily enjoyed by all our readers.

## Blue Ribbon Club Meeting.

The meeting last evening was opened by the audience singing a Gospel hymn, after which Vice-Presidant O'Neil offered prayer. Mr. West from New Brunswick, gave a stirring address advising the temperance people to aim at nothing short of the total prohibition of the liquor traffic. Mr. Winsby gave a humorous reading and was loudly applauded. Ex-President Rudge called on all the churches to lend a hand to put a stop to a business that was causing so much crime and suffering in the community. Vice-Presidents O'Neil and Roper stated some facts in relation to the expense to the country of liquor drinking. The band played as usual during the evening, and and closed with the national anthem.

NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAY.—The house committee on Pacific railways to-day agreed to report favorably re-instructing the secretary of the interior to demand of the Northern Pacific railway company information as to whether it had arranged its stopping places and running of trains so as to benefit certain towns in which the directors of the company are interested to the injury of other towns. Also by what authority of law the company owns an interest in any townsite company. The resolution, also, requires the company to furnish a statement as to its freight and passenger traffic.

APPEARANCE OF HERR MOST.—A New York letter says of Herr Most: "To those who had not seen him before, the appearance of the widely known anarchist leader was a surprise. Short and squatty in stature, his great flabby cheeks puffed out as if caused by a severe attack of mumps, his small eyes blinking on the sudden coming out into the light, and his expression one of fear and alarm, he looked anything but the picture of the terrible revolutionist he proclaims himself to be.

BASEBALL.—The match game of baseball played yesterday afternoon at Beacon hill between the Lansdowne's and James Bay and Athletics, resulted in a victory for the latter, the score standing 20 to 18. C. Mullin captained the former and Fred. Gouge the latter.


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INDIAN RESERVES.—A party of surveyors left last night on the steamer Boscowitz for Naas river for the purpose of surveying certain reservations for the Indians there.

"FOR JESUS' SAKE.—The Young Men's Christian association received yesterday, from an anonymous donor, $50 "for Jesus' sake."


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## Strange, But True.

A statement was certified to before Mr. John J. Austin, yesterday, in which Mr. John French, of Maple bay, aged 69 years, avers that he has been a sufferer from rheumatism for over sixteen years, and deaf in the right ear for more than twenty years, and that by a single magnetic treatment at the hands of Prof. Menzies he was relieved of all pain and his swollen limbs set free as well as his hearing restored. This is only one of the many cases that the professor has proved his strange power upon in our midst, and every patient he cures is earnest in seeking to bring his system of treatment to the attention of his friends.

SMITH'S Comedy Company played last evening at Philharmonic hall to a fair audience. The company gave excellent satisfaction as usual.

BUSES.—The buses will be withdrawn from their regular routes to-day and to-morrow, being required by the Transfer Co. to run to Beacon Hill and the Driving Park.

THE telegraph office will be open on Monday between the hours of 9 and 11 o'clock in the morning, and 6 to 8 o'clock in the evening.

## Talmage's Experience with a Crank.

It was suggested to Mr. Talmage that he get up a lecture on "Cranks" and relate his experience with cranky people. He laughed and said that while his experience was wide and varied on the subject of "cranks," yet there was one story that always came to his mind when the conversation turned on these peculiar people. He was once very busy writing in his room at an hotel and a card came up. He gave the bell-boy instructions that he could see no body and dismissed him. A little while after the card came up a second time, and he told the bell-boy to tell the man to call on the next day, that he wouldn't see the angel Gabriel if he called to-day, and the bell-boy's eyes stuck out. In a few minutes the card came up a third time, and then Mr. Talmage went down stairs to see who his persistent visitor was. A man stepped up to him and said:

"Your are Mr. Talmage?"

"I am, sir."

"Well, sir, I am an evolutionist, and I want to discuss that question with you. I am also an annihilationist. I believe that when I die that will be the end of me."

"Thank God for that!" ejaculated Mr. Talmage, as he walked off, and left the man perfectly dazed.—*Harrisburg Telegraph.*

## Bessemer's Discovery.

W. B. Dean lately at St. Paul delivered an interesting lecture before the Unity club on the invention and process of manufacture of Bessemer steel. The attendance was large and much interest manifested. Mr. Dean illustrated his lecture with many diagrams, which served an explanatory purpose. He said in substance:

A wonderful discovery was that of Sir Henry Bessemer's method of the direct manufacture of iron and steel from the ores by the pneumatic process. Mr. Dean hastily sketched the history of the manufacture of iron from the earliest times, showing the wonderful commercial growth of Great Britain to be coterminous with the development of her iron and steel industries. The invention of Sir Henry Bessemer, less than thirty years ago, revolutionized all known methods for the production of steel, and has resulted, from well estimated statistics, already in a saving to the world of over one thousand million of dollars. Mr. Dean predicted the substitution of the pneumatic process for the present method of making wrought iron, and at a greatly diminished cost. The era of the "iron age" is to be speedily superseded by the "age of steel."


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### His Return from California---Testing His Pa's Bravery with Fire Crackers.

"Hello," said the grocery man, as he stopped marking higher prices on the goods and put the pencil behind his ear, as the bad boy entered, "Got back, have you? Now I suppose we shall hear nothing but California for the next year. What kind of a time did you have? Tell us all about it," and he came around from behind the counter and offered the boy a piece of dried apple. "Did you have any fun with your pa while you were out west? Did you paralyze him any in the old-fashioned way, or were you truly good while you were gone?"

"Oh, I wasn't any too good. I don't think a boy who has been on the war path for several years can easily break himself of having fun when he gets a chance. I meant to be good, but there were so many chances to make pa jump like a box car that I had a picnic all the way to California. Pa's anxiety was to see some cowboys. He had been reading about how the highwaymen robbed a train, and how cowboys stopped a train on which there was an opera troupe, and compelling the Italians to climb up on the wood-box in the car and sing at the point of revolvers. Pa said if passengers would stand up for their rights in such cases and not be afraid of cowboys it would overawe the cowboys and they would slink away and let the train alone. He said if anything of the kind occurred he should try and rally the men in the car and drive the cowboys away. Well, one day we passed lots of Indians, and pa was getting nervous. I told him the train men expected the train would be attacked that night, and they wanted to know if there wasn't some brave passenger who would lead them to repulse the cowboys or Indians, as the case might be. Pa got kind of pale and said he didn't feel very well, and told me it was not necessary for a boy to be blabbing about his father's bravery all the time. He said he was brave enough, but he didn't want to excite ma by fighting cowboys and Indians. After dark the train stopped at a station to meet a freight train, and when all was still I got the three brakemen to yell like Indians, and then the freight brakemen they yelled, and a lot of boys at the station began to whoop. Then I went out on the platform and took some fire-crackers out of my pistol pocket and touched them off, and then I groaned. By this time I got sort of anxious about pa. I was afraid he would rally the passengers and go out and kill somebody. So I went in the car to our seats to tell pa it wasn't going to be much of a fight. I was going to tell pa to spare the poor cowboys. Well, you'd a died to have seen my sire, baby mine. There was some pants in sight, evidently with a man in 'em, but his head was down between the seats, with a valise on one side and a lunch basket on the other, and he was crawling further down all the time, and trembling like ager. I touched pa on the pants, and from away down under the seats came a still small voice saying: 'You will find my pocketbook in my pistol pocket up there. The money is in the left-hand side, but spare my life and my railroad passes. Oh, but that took the reverence for a father's bravery out of me. I touched him again and said, 'Pa, there is no danger. It was only me firing fire crackers.' Pa looked up with one eye and said, 'Ain't there no inluns, nor cowboys?' I told him there wan't nothing. 'Then,' says pa, as brave as possible, 'come down here and help me find your ma's umbrill. That niggor porter is always losing our baggage.' Then pa came up out of the lunch basket with some chow-chow on his shirt, and when the train moved off he put his arm around me and said, 'Hennery, your pa's nerves are all unstrung and I wish you would not fire any more fire crackers when people outside are yelling.' Then he had the porter make up his berth and he went to bed. He's no good in a fight. Some day I want to tell you about his getting scared at the ostriches and how he took a whiff at an opium pipe in San Francisco and thought he owned the town and how I made folks believe pa was a Mormon in Salt Lake City and a lot of such stuff, but I have got to go on a strike now," and the bad boy went out into the wide, wide world, with his pockets full of fresh figs, leaving the grocery man to charge them to different customers.

### French Wit and Skill.

Of Gen. Von Manteuffel, the late German military governor of Alsace, who hated all that was French, it is said that he once at a public dinner engaged in a dispute with a French diplomat who maintained the superiority of the French workmen over the artisans of all other nations. "A thing so ugly does not exist that the skill and genius of a Frenchman cannot make of it a thing of beauty," he said. Angered by the contradiction, the old soldier pulled a hair from his bristly gray moustache, and handing it to the French man, said curtly, "Let him make a thing of beauty out of that, then, and prove your claim." The Frenchman took the hair and sent it in a letter to a well known Parisian jeweler, with a statement of the case and an appeal to his patriotic pride, giving him no limit of expense in executing the order. A week later the mail from Paris brought a neat little box for the general. In it was a handsome scarf-pin made like a Prussian eagle, that held in its talons a stiff gray bristle, from each end of which dangled a tiny golden ball. One was inscribed Alsace, the other Lorraine, and on the eagle's perch were the words, "You hold them, but by a hair."

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### The Lime Kiln Club.

"I was readin' in the paper yesterday," said Brother Gardner as the meeting opened after the usual style, "I was a-readin' a lament bekase de ole fashun'd man an' woman had died off an' would be seen no mo' on airth forever. Ize glad on it. De ole-fashun'd man scraped off de measure when he sold wheat; he believed dat any sort of food an' any sort of bed was good 'nuff fur his chill'en; he took de biggest piece of pie at de table; he ate mo' like a hog dan a human bein'; if he had sympathy it was for his cattle instead of his family. De ole fashun'd man was a reg'lar attendant at prayer meetin', buthe worked his hired help twenty hours out of twenty-four just de same. He'd drive five miles to church on Sunday to show his religun, but doorin' de odder six days of de week he was a bad man to trade hosses wid. It took his wife six months to git up de courage to ax him fur a new kaliker dress, an' mos' of his chill'en growed up an' went away from home without a reckoleckshun of a dozen kind words.

'De ole-fashun'd man had two recipes for his fellow-bein's. De fust was hard work; de nex' was boneset tea. He had but two ideahs in regard to boys. De fust was lots o' work an' a leetle school-in'; de nex' was lots o' lickin's an' no holidays. He had but two ideahs in regard to bizness. De fust was git all ye kin; de nex' was keep all ye git. He argued dat a liar could neber enter de kingdom of heaben, but would go out an' lick a sick ox to death without any fear about his hereafter. He prayed loudly dat de Lawd would increase his crops, but he kept his hired hands down to de lowest possible figger. He made a great show of submittin' to de will of Providence, but if 500 pounds of hay got wet in a rain storm some of de chill'en come in for a lickin' befo' night.

"De ole-fashund man and woman hev departed, an' de world hasn't lost a cent by it. It was a good depart. Wicked as some folks claim de world to be, I feel dat I kin walk into de aiverage crowd an' pick out mo' charity, humanity, religun, sympathy an' morality dan could be found in a tenacre lot of ole-fashun'd men. Let us now purceed to bizness.—*Detroit Free Press.*

### Verbal Errors.

In learning a foreign language it is to be expected that everybody will make mistakes; the philosophical linguist will, therefore, good-naturedly, accept the situation, getting all the amusement possible from his own blunders, while he conceals his smiles over those of other people. English and American students of French can but be amused when the Parisian, in his attempt at English, falls into absurd error.

One day, at a French dinner-table, the conversation turned upon the peculiarities, verbal and otherwise, of English-speaking people. The list was so long, and alas! so true, that the few Americans present could but feel depressed.

"Ah!" said the host, finally, in his choicest English, "It must be that we cease to speak of the country of our friends. Here is madame, who looks so *disgusting* that I have feared to see her."

But the lady in question, politely struggling to repress her laughter, seemed to the eye of her compatriots as little *disgusting* as *disgusted*.

In discussing the practicability of ascending Monte Salorio, on the island of Capri, a stout American lady was advised by a German baron not to take a horse.

"Take a monkey, madam," said he. "A monkey is so much safer?"

The picture of the timid lady ascending the mountain on a monkey was almost too much for the gravity of those present.

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### To the Electors of the District of Kootenay, B. C.

CRANBROOK, Kootenay, B. C., May 15, 1886.

GENTLEMEN:—THE TIME IS APPROACHING for the election of your representatives in the Provincial Parliament, and I have the honor to offer myself as a candidate to fill that important post.

The District of Kootenay is as yet in its youth, and much of the future prosperity of the population must depend upon the efforts that may be made for developing the natural resources of the District in order to raise it to a strong and healthy manhood.

Chief among those resources stands the great mineral wealth which is known to exist. Although a large portion of this wealth has already been successfully developed, through the energy, the perseverance and the courage of the mining settlers, still all these admirable qualities will be neutralized and thrown back in the future unless vigorous efforts are made to facilitate the opportunities for prospecting, and also to lighten the burdens of the prospector.

I am of opinion that the taxes now imposed upon the miner are too onerous, and that true political economy will consist in giving every possible encouragement and assistance to the miner in order to enable him to extract the wealth which lies buried in the earth, and thus enrich the state and reward the laborer.

It is manifest that easy means of communication from place to place, and with the outer world, are of paramount importance in the development of any country, but more especially so in the Kootenay District, where there are many localities, probably pregnant with riches, but which are now inaccessible for want of proper trails. Good roads and trails would also have a material influence in cheapening the cost of provisions and in helping to develop the agricultural resources of the country, and should you do me the honor of electing me as your representative I should give special attention to this branch of my duties.

The Kootenay District is rapidly attracting the attention it fully deserves, and so many miners and settlers are arriving that the large area comprised within its limits is too great for successful and satisfactory administration. This difficulty will increase in direct ratio with the population; and I am of opinion that active efforts should be made to divide the present district into two parts, each independent of the other.

I am in sympathy with the present government, which has had to contend against many difficulties, and has combated them, on the whole, with success; but should I be elected I should take an independent position as regards "party."

I shall shortly have the pleasure of visiting each part of the District and of explaining my views more in detail; and should you do me the honor of electing me as your representative I should make it my duty to travel periodically through the District in order to ascertain the views and requirements of the population, and I should spare neither effort nor trouble in carrying them into effect.

I have the honor to be,
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WHEREAS THE ASSIZES AND COUNTY Court are set to be holden at Nanaimo on 1st and 8th June, respectively, and the County Court is set for Quamichan on same 8th June.—Notice is hereby given that the above County Court will be holden at the Court House, Quamichan, on Friday, 11th proximo, at 11 a. m., on which occasion any Supreme Court matter ready for trial may be heard.

By order, HENRY FRY,
D. Registrar.
Victoria, 16th May, 1886. my18

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SECTION 64 ESQUIMALT DISTRICT.

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CHAS. JAS. LEGGATT
Registrar General.
Land Registry Office, Victoria,
17th April, 1886. ap17-1m

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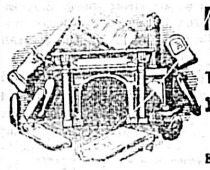

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SPRING ASSIZES.
(ON VANCOUVER ISLAND.)

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Victoria | Monday | 3rd May |
| Nanaimo | Tuesday | 1st June |
| (ON MAINLAND.) | | |
| New Westminster | Wednesday | 5th May |
| Yale | Wednesday | 26th May |
| Kamloops | Monday | 7th June |
| Clinton | Monday | 14th June |

FALL ASSIZES.
(ON MAINLAND.)

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Richfield | Monday | 13th September |
| Clinton | Wednesday | 29th September |
| Kamloops | Monday | 4th October |
| Lytton | Monday | 11th October |
| Yale | Friday | 15th October |
| New Westminster | Wednesday | 10th November |
| (ON VANCOUVER ISLAND.) | | |
| Victoria | Monday | 22nd November |
| Nanaimo | Tuesday | 7th December |

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Provincial Secretary's Office,
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